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# Wholesale Price List FALL BULBS

Valuable information about Dutch Bulbs  
for fall 1946 delivery

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We have renewed our connections, after five war years, with the firm of bulb growers that we consider one of the most reliable in all the Netherlands.

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## WILLIS NURSERY COMPANY

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# HYACINTHS

	Per 1000
Top Size (19cm and over) -----	\$145.00
First Size (18-19cm) -----	135.00
Second Size (17-18cm) -----	120.00
Third Size (16-17cm) -----	100.00
Bedding Size (15-16cm) -----	85.00

Top, First and Second size Hyacinths packed 50 bulbs of a variety per bag; other sizes 100 bulbs of a variety per bag. Order in bag lots only. Be sure to state size you want.

## RED and PINK

- GERTRUDE, rosy pink, compact flower, good late forcing variety. Excellent for bedding and very suitable for pots or pans.
- LADY DERBY, fine pink, large flower and large bells, fine shaped bulb, early.
- LA VICTOIRE, brilliant carmine rose, early.
- MARCONI, deep rosy pink, very recommendable for Easter forcing.
- QUEEN OF THE PINKS, lovely bright rosy pink; large spike of fine bells; late forcer, very fine for a late Easter.

## WHITE

- L'INNOCENCE, pure white, broad loose spike of elegant form, very large well shaped bells, early and excellent for forcing, and a good bedder. It is used in large quantities all over the world. The most popular of all white Hyacinths.

## LIGHT and DARK BLUE

- BISMARCK, light skyblue, large truss, excellent for early forcing. Very fine for pots or pans.
- GRAND MAITRE, fine deep porcelain blue; very large broad well formed spike, on strong stem; beautifully curled bells, which, combined with the fine color and form, gives this flower a very attractive appearance. It is the most popular of all blue Hyacinths.
- KING OF THE BLUES, deep glossy blue, splendid well formed large spike on short stem, late forcer.
- QUEEN OF THE BLUES, light blue with silvery shade.

## YELLOW

- CITY OF HAARLEM, bright golden yellow.

# TULIPS

Tulips are packed 250 bulbs of a variety in a bag. Order in bag lots only. Be sure to state the size you want.

## DARWIN TULIPS

	Per 1000
Top Size 12cm and over -----	\$53.00
First Size 11-12cm -----	44.00

- AFTERGLOW, bright rosy orange, lighter edged, splendid bright centre
- BARTIGON, clear crimson red, one of the best red Darwins for forcing, with strong stem and medium height, fine for pots, cutting and bedding.
- BLEU AIMABLE, bright lilac blue, shaded steel blue, inside dark violet-purple with a blue base, elegant shape.
- CAMPFIRE, blood red, sport of Bartigon.
- CITY OF HAARLEM, beautiful red, large flower, one of the best red Darwins, for bedding and late forcing, large stock.
- CLARA BUTT, clear self-colored salmon rosy pink, very popular, unsurpassable for beds



- ECLIPSE, chestnut red, fine for outside.
- FARNCOMBE SANDERS, fiery rose-scarlet, inside vivid cerise scarlet with white centre marked slightly blue, large flower of perfect shape.
- FAUST, dark satiny purple with blue base, very large and well formed.
- GIANT, purplish violet, large flower on tall stem.
- GOLDEN AGE, deep yellow slightly shaded orange when fully developed. Highly recommended for forcing only.
- INSURPASSABLE, beautiful lilac and is considered an improvement on Wm. Copeland. Very fine for outside planting and medium late forcing.
- KING HAROLD (MAHONY), deep brown-red, a beautiful variety for garden, standing the weather well.
- LA TULIPE NOIRE (The Black Tulp), very large flower of unique color, very beautiful.
- MR VAN ZYL, fine pink, pure white centre very attractive (improved Rosa Bella)
- PRESIDENT TAFT, deep red, excellent for bedding.
- PRIDE OF HAARLEM, cerise scarlet, an enormous flower of superb form and grand beauty and a stately plant for borders and amongst shrubs; for groups this variety is unsurpassed, both for its glorious color and its stately habit.
- PRINCESS ELISABETH, (Jules Vinot), vivid rosy pink, one of the best forcing varieties, also excellent for bedding.
- PROF. RAUWENHOFF, fine carmine red, flower of enormous size, excellent forcer and bedder.
- ROSE COPELAND, soft rose, beautiful sport of Wm. Copeland.
- THE BISHOP, bright violet blue, large flower, large stock.
- VICTORY (VICTOIRE D'OLIVEIRA), deep red, good forcer.
- WILLIAM PITT, very fine scarlet with a darker shade on the petals, large flower of distinct color and great beauty, splendid forcer, large stock.
- YELLOW DARWIN (Inglescombe, Yellow), deep canary-yellow, fine for bedding.
- ZWANENBURG, pure white, very large flower.
- MIXED, splendid mixture of all colors

## SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Per 1000

Top Size 12 cm and over -----	\$65.00
First Size 11-12 cm -----	54.00

- CRIMSON BRILLIANT, brilliant red, large flower. A good variety for bedding.
- GENERAL DE WET, orange, fine for pots and cutting, very attractive color and one of the most effective varieties for forcing and bedding.
- KEIZERSKROON, bright red with broad golden yellow border, extra large flower on tall strong stem, very effective for bedding.
- MON TRESOR, pure golden yellow, very large flower, the best yellow tulip for early forcing, excellent for pots, large stock.
- PRINCE OF AUSTRIA, fine orange red, brilliant scarlet inside; extra large globular flower of great substance, very sweet scented.
- SUNBURST, yellow, flushed red, easy forcer and very fine for bedding.

## DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

Per 1000

Top Size 12cm and over -----	\$65.00
First Size 11-12 cm -----	54.00

- ELECTRA, splendid deep carmine Sport of Murillo, fine for pots and pans.
- MR. VAN DER HOFF, pure golden yellow, large flower, good forcer, Sport of Murillo.
- ORANGE NASSAU, deep orange red, large full double flower. Beautiful sport of Murillo.
- PEACH BLOSSOM, dark pink, fine for forcing, Sport of Murillo. The most popular double pink tulip.
- DANTE, brilliant red, (new).
- SCHOONOORD (syn. SNOWBALL), snowwhite sport of Murillo, fine for Easter forcing.
- VUURBAAK, dazzling scarlet, enormous large very double flower on strong stem. Best red for bedding.





## DOUBLE LATE TULIPS

Top Size 12cm and over	Per 1000
First Size 11-12 cm	\$53.00
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-----EROS, pleasing shade of lilac rose.

-----MOUNT TACOMA, pure white, large flower.

-----UNCLE TOM, very dark glossy red, extra novelty.

## BREEDER TULIPS

Top Size 12cm and over	Per 1000
First Size 11-12 cm	\$53.00
	44.00

-----BACCHUS, dark plum color, fine large flower. This tulip is an outstanding tulip among all breeder varieties and is now obtainable at reasonable prices, large stock.

-----DOM PEDRO, coffee color, interior dark reddish mahogany, yellowish base streaked olive. When planted with lighter shades it makes a wonderful effect, large stock.

-----INDIAN CHIEF (MEYERBEER), coppery red, large flower of exquisite form, long stem, large stock.

-----LOUIS XIV, dark purple flushed with bronze, to the edge golden brown, inside purple, outstanding among all other Breeders, great substance.

-----PANORAMA (FAIRY), reddish mahogany, very large flower, good forcer.

-----VELVET KING. (Dreadnought), purple violet, very large flowers carried on tall strong stem.

## COTTAGE AND HYBRID TULIPS

Top Size 12cm and over	Per 1000
First Size 11-12 cm	\$53.00
	44.00

-----CARRARA, pure white extra fine for forcing or bedding.

-----DILLENBURG, beautiful salmon orange, elegant form on tall stem, excellent keeper and now obtainable at reasonable prices.

-----GOLDEN HARVEST, soft yellow, very fine for medium late forcing.

-----GRENADIER, dazzling vermillion orange, large flower, very fine for bedding. ..

-----INDIAN MAID, white changing to rose when in full bloom, a graceful flower on tall stem, makes a beautiful combination when planted with Cottage Tulip Vesta.

-----INGLESCOMBE YELLOW, large canary yellow, nice form.

-----MARJORIE BOWEN, salmon with an orange rose shade very beautiful.

-----MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS, pure yellow with yellow anthers. Large flower on a tall sturdy stem.

-----MOUNT EREBUS, pure white, large flower, carried on tall strong stem.

-----MRS. MOON (Fulgens maxima lutea), pure yellow, large flower, very popular variety.

-----QUEEN OF THE NORTH, beautiful rose with white flush outside, and an outstanding tulip for beauty and constitution, unexcelled for outside planting.

-----SOUVENIR, yellow changing to orange red when in full bloom, immense large flower, fine for late forcing and bedding, a real novelty.

## MENDEL TULIPS

Top Size 12cm and over	Per 1000
First Size 11-12 cm	\$53.00
	44.00

-----KRELAGE'S TRIUMPH, dark glowing red, good forcer.

-----MOZART, deep rose, early forcer, large stock.

-----QUEEN AUGUSTA, salmon rose, good forcer, a pleasing shade like Darwin Clara Butt.

-----SCARLET ADMIRAL, vermillion red, medium early forcer.

-----SCARLET WONDER, brilliant scarlet, extra for early forcing.

-----ZENOVER, rich vermillion red.



## TRIUMPH TULIPS

	Per 1000
Top Size 12cm and over -----	\$53.00
First Size 11-12 cm -----	44.00
-----ALBERIO, cerise scarlet, vigorous grower, good forcer, fine for Valentine day, large stock.	
-----COLUMBIA, bright amaranth red, a tulip of great size and substance. Very fine for outdoor planting and medium late forcing. Highly recommended for pots or pans for Easter forcing.	
-----CORNEFORUS, bright rosy red, extra.	
-----ELISABETH EVERS, beautiful pink, large flower on strong stem. This tulip is undoubtedly the best pink tulip on the market. It is of great value for forcing in pots or pans and has remarkable keeping qualities also great merits for outside planting. On every national flower show this tulip has been an outstanding variety. Large stock and now obtainable at reasonable prices.	
-----KANSAS, snowwhite, lemon yellow center.	
-----MARKET GLORY, salmon rose with white base, very fine for pots and pans	
-----NOVA, lilac rose shaded salmon, fine for pots and pans.	
-----SAGITTARIUS, White shaded light pink, strong sturdy stem. fine for outside.	
-----TELESCOPIUM, violet rose, early and easy forcer, flower of great substance on tall stem, also fine for bedding.	
-----VIRGO, a pleasing shade of violet blue and is considered to be the best blue Triumph tulip on the market at present. It forces easily and early and is also of great value for outside planting. For early forcing we consider this tulip far superior to Darwin Tulip The Bishop.	

## PARROT TULIPS

Top Size Only	Per 1000
-----FANTASY, lively soft rose with green streaks, inside salmon rose, flowers are on erect stiff stems, large stock.	\$53.00
-----EXTRA FINE MIXTURE -----	44.00

## CROCUS

Packed 250 of a size and color per bag. Order in bag lots only.  
Be sure to state size wanted.

	Per 1000
Top Size 10cm and over -----	\$23.00
First Size 9-10cm -----	17.00
Second Size 8-9cm -----	14.00
-----BLUE -----VIOLET -----STRIPED	
-----PURPLE -----WHITE -----YELLOW	

## SNOWDROPS

Price applies on lots of 250 or more

	Per 1000
-----NIVALIS SIMPLEX (Single) Pure White-----	\$32.00

## MUSCARI (Grape Hyacinths)

Prices apply on lots of 250 or more of a size.

	Per 1000
Top Size 9cm and over -----	\$23.00
First Size 8-9 cm -----	17.00
-----HEAVENLY BLUE, deep blue-----	

## SCILLA (Squill)

Ideal for the wild garden; also highly recommended for borders and rock gardens.  
Last many years.

Prices apply on lots of 250 bulbs or more of a size.

	Per 1000
Top Size -----	\$30.00
First Size -----	25.00
-----SCILLA SIBERICA, sky blue-----	



## CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow)

Beautiful early spring-flowering bulbs. Their hardiness, beauty, and the rapidity with which they increase in ordinary soils make them valuable.

Price applies on 250 bulbs or more

Per 1000

-----LUCILIAE, Lilac-blue -----\$23.00

## NARCISSUS

Order in lots of 100 or more of a variety

### TRUMPET VARIETIES

Per 1000

Double-nose bulbs -----\$68.00

-----GLORY OF SASSENHEIM, large yellow trumpet, white perianth, forces a little earlier than Bic. Victoria, a great market variety, large stock.

-----KING ALFRED, a remarkable handsome Daffodil; flowers of large size, great substance and refined finish, color rich golden-yellow.

-----MRS. ERNEST H. KRELAGE, sulphur white, one of the largest and finest of all white trumpets, good forcer.

-----REMBRANDT, golden yellow trumpet, beautiful shape and good keeper.

-----SPRING GLORY, very early forcer, yellow trumpet, white petals.

### SHORT-CUP VARIETIES

Per 1000

Double-nose bulbs -----\$56.85

-----BONFIRE, perianth pure white, cup intense scarlet, a fine variety.

-----CARLTON, soft yellow broad overlapping petals large cup, with frilled edge.

-----FIRETAIL, white perianth, red cup, fine shape, one of the best (New).

-----HELIOS, one of the best novelties, perianth sulphur yellow and very large orange red cup, now obtainable at reasonable price.

-----JOHN EVELYN, pure white perianth with orange yellow cup (New)

-----KINGDOM, ivory white with lemon colored cup.

-----LADY DIANA MANNERS, perianth ivory white, crown fiery orange red.

-----LADY MOORE, ivory white broad perianth, cup large yellow with red eye, splendid forcer.

-----LORD KITCHENER, sulphur white perianth, creamy white cup.

-----NAOMI, ivory white perianth, orange red cup, highly recommended.

-----ORANGE GLOW, perianth yellow with bright orange cup (Novelty)

### POETAZ VARIETIES

Per 1000

Double-nose bulbs -----\$52.30

-----CHEERFULNESS, (double Poetaz Elvira), white perianth with full double centre of white and yellow, very fine.

-----GLORIOUS, pure white perianth, cup brilliant orange scarlet.

-----SCARLET GEM, perianth deep golden yellow with solid red cup.

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